

# **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

St. Andrew's Middle School **Charleston County School District** 

**Enrollment: 459** Grades: 6-8

Principal: Michael Ryan

Superintendent: Dr. Nancy J. McGinley

Board Chair: Mr. Chris Fraser

#### **PERFORMANCE**

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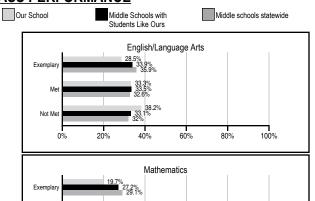
YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL A	ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Average	Below Average	TBD	TBD	D	N/A
2011	Average	Good	Silver	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Met	N/A

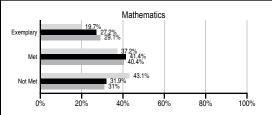
# **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

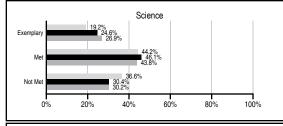
EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
6	10	41	3	2

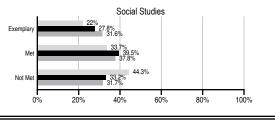
<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

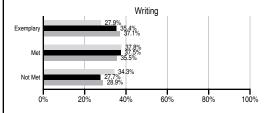
#### PASS PERFORMANCE











# NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Parcentages at NAEP Achievement Levels

Percentages at	NAEP A	Achievement L	.evels.			
READING - GRADE 8 (2011)						
South Carolina		28	45	25	2	
Nation		25	43	29		
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced  ■ Below Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced						
MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)						
South Carolina	[	30	38	25	7	
Nation		28	39	26		
% Below Basic  % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced  Below Basic  Proficient  Advanced						
SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2009)						
South Carolina		45	32	22	1	
Nation		38	33	28	1	
% Below Basic						

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012						
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours				
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0	96.4				
English 1	100.0	96.4				
Physical Science	N/A	N/A				
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A				
All Subjects	100.0	96.4				

#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

# St. Andrew's Middle School [Charleston County School District]

#### **SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=459)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	19.9%	Up from 11.4%	21.8%	22.9%
Retention rate	0.4%	Down from 1.7%	0.8%	0.8%
Attendance rate	98.9%	Up from 95.2%	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	3.7%	Down from 3.8%	0.5%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=37)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	67.6%	Up from 62.2%	60.0%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	82.2%	Down from 84.2%	87.2%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	97.5%	Up from 94.3%	95.3%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$45,264	Up 5.4%	\$46,519	\$46,422
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	9.2%	Up from 1.6%	1.1%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	6.4 days	Up from 2.1 days	10.0 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	2.0	Up from 1.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	20.8 to 1	Up from 18.3 to 1	21.7 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	95.8%	Up from 89.3%	89.9%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	Up from Fair	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	No	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.7%	Up from 87.8%	98.7%	98.8%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,575	Up 4.7%	\$7,181	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	61.4%	Down from 61.5%	63.2%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	59.9%	Up from 59.6%	60.9%	60.9%
ESEA composite index score	67.1	N/A	85.9	88.1

<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

# **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	8	119	47
Percent satisfied with learning environment	37.5%	56.8%	68.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	50.0%	64.3%	51.1%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	37.5%	77.6%	71.7%

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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# REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2011-2012 school year was a year of excitement and success for the faculty, staff and students of St. Andrews Middle School. We are all proud of the many achievements experienced this year at St. Andrews Middle.

St. Andrews is proud of being awarded the 2011 Palmetto Silver Award and of improving to "Good" on our "Growth Rating". Both are first-time achievements for our school. We also had 3 Junior Scholars for this academic year.

SAMS celebrated and participated in many events, activities, competitions, and opportunities throughout the year. The South Carolina state Odyssey of the Mind competition was held at SAMS this year. Four of our teams won the state competition. In May, these teams competed in the International World competition held at Iowa State University. One of our teams finished 26th in the world

Athletically, we won the Girls Volleyball League Championship. Our football team played in the football playoffs. Our Girls were I-AAAA Basketball Champs and the Senior Boys were Conference Basketball runners up. Our Senior Girls were Division 3 Basketball runners up. Our baseball and softball team won their League Championships and the baseball team was the Joe Barfield Memorial Classic Champions.

St. Andrews offers our students the opportunity to take English I, Algebra I and virtual Spanish for high school credit. Every student in English I and Algebra I passed the high school end-of-course test. Two students had perfect scores in English I and 26 of the 39 students earned perfect scores in Algebra I.

Our school is dedicated to helping each of our students in and out of the classroom. Our faculty, staff, parents and community will continue to work collaboratively with our students so that they are able to accomplish their goals each and every day.

Mike Ryan, Principal SAMS Hohlfeldt, Chairman SIC

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available.